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P R E F A C E

I want to highlight only one thing behind why I chose to write this book. When I came to know that 24th February 2023 is the birth anniversary of Hazrat Imam Husain Alaihissalam, I decided to write a complete book for him in 1 day. But the question was that what should be written in such a way that the book should be completed in a day. It was in this dilemma that I remembered the 72 martyrs of Karbala and I thought why not present the order of Hazrat Imam Husain Alaihissalam with 72 numbers as a gift to the people of the world. In this book, I started collecting all the sayings and decrees and I completed this book in one whole day and night. I hope that you will not let this hard work of mine go to waste and will pray for me after reading this book. I will be indebted to you. Prayer request.

I especially present this book as a gift in the Bargah-e-Bekash Panah of Hazrat Imam Hussain Alaihissalam. To my Master's, Parents, Friends, and close friends Janab Roshan Raza Hashmati, Zakir Hussain Ansari, and Abdul Naeem Baksh, I also present this gift of devotion in the book.

- Author



“NO ONE

will feel secure on the
Resurrection Day except
those who fear God in
this world.

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“PEOPLE ARE

slaves to the world, and as long as they live favorable and comfortable lives, they are loyal to religious principles. However, at hard times, and times of trials, actual religious people are scarce.

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“ONE WHO

pursues a goal through sinful ways will ironically distance himself from that goal and will approach what he was afraid of.

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“TO ME,

death is nothing but happiness,
and living under tyrants is
nothing but living in hell.

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“O’ ALLAH !

Surely you know that whatever we did was not a competition to gain worldly positions and not for the worthless physical attractions of the world. But to show the signs of religious ways and to remove corruption from your lands, so that the oppressed feel secure and act according to your traditions and rules.

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“I NEVER

revolted in vain, as a rebel or as a tyrant, but I rose seeking reformation for the nation of my grandfather Muhammad (Peace be upon him). I intend to enjoin good and forbid evil, to act according to the traditions of my grandfather, and my father Ali Ibn Abi-Talib (Peace be upon him).

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“THE MOST

generous person is the one
who offers help to those
who do not expect him
to help.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“WHOEVER SORTS

out a problem of a believer, God sorts out his difficulties in this world and the hereafter.

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑAlaihi Salamؑ



"IF YOU

heard a person discredit the
dignity and honor of people
then try not to get
introduced to him

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



"NEVER RAISE

your need except to three
(kinds of people): to a
religious, to a brave man,
or to a nobleman.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“SEVENTY REWARDS

are for Salam (Islamic greeting) sixty-nine for the starter and one for the one who replies

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“ACT LIKE

the one who believes in
punishment for sin and
reward for good deeds.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“SHOULD POVERTY,
illness, and death not exist,
man would not bow
to anything.”

IMAM HUSSAIN
«Alaihi Salam»



“YOU DESERVE

Paradise, don't sell yourself for anything less. Whoever is content with worldly pleasures, has sufficed to do something base and low.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“BEING THANKFUL
for the grace of God makes
God reward you with
another grace.

IMAM HUSSAIN
ؑAlaihi Salamؑ



“NEVER TRUST
anybody but those
who fear God.

IMAM HUSSAIN
Alaihi Salam



“THE MOST

merciful person is the one
who forgives when he is
able to revenge.

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑAlaihi Salamؑ



"YOUR BEST

relation is the one who comes to you and helps you when you have severed relations with him.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



"TOLERANCE IS

man's ornament, keeping promises is a sign of nobility, and bonding with others is grace.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“IF YOU

don't believe in any religion
and don't fear the
Resurrection Day, at least
be free in this world.

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑAlaihi Salamؑ



“THOSE WHO

worship God in the hope of gaining they're not real worshippers they're merchants. Those who worship God out of fear (of punishment) they're slaves. And those who worship God are grateful to their creator they are free people and their worship is a real one.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“BEWARE THAT

the need of people for you is among the blessings of God to you. So do not scare away the needy people when they come to you, as God's blessings will return and go elsewhere.

IMAM HUSSAIN

• (Alaihi Salam) •



“WHOEVER SEEKS

the satisfaction of people
through disobedience of
God. Then God subjects
him to people.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“AVOID OPPRESSING

the one who does not have
any supporters against
you other than the
Almighty God.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“ONE WHO

reveals your faults to you like a mirror is your true friend, and one who flatters you and covers up your faults is your enemy.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“WISDOM

**will not be completely exceeded
by following the truth.**

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑAlaihi Salamؑ



“ASSOCIATING
with corrupt people makes
you subject to suspicion.”

IMAM HUSSAIN
«Alaihi Salam»



“CRYING OUT

**of fear of God is salvation
from hellfire**

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“AVOID DOING

What makes you obliged to apologize for it. True believers never do anything for which they have to apologize. Fake believers, on the contrary, keep doing wrong and say they are sorry in the aftermath.

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑ (Alaihi Salam) ؑ



“DO NOT

**permit anybody (to come in)
before saying Salam
(greetings).**

IMAM HUSSAIN

• (Alaihi Salam)



“AMONG THE

**signs of ignorance is arguing
with irrational people**

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“AMONG THE

signs of a learned man is
criticizing his own words
and being informed of
various viewpoints.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“WHOEVER BECOMES
generous becomes a noble
and whoever becomes
stingy becomes vicious
and mean-spirited.”

IMAM HUSSAIN

«(Alaihi Salam)»



"I ADVISE

you to keep the divine piety.
Surely God has ensured for
the one who keeps his
piety transfers from what
he dislikes to what he likes
and provides him with
sustenance from an
unexpected way.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“O’ THE SON

**of Adam! Remember the death
of your fathers and your
children, where they were, and
where they went. I can foresee
that you, too, will join them
very soon and provide a lesson
for others.**

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“A PERSON

asked Imam Hussain (Peace be upon him) “O the son of the messenger of God, how can we know God Almighty?” Imam replied: “By knowing and obeying the Imam of your time.”

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“DIVINE LAWS

and islamic principles must be carried out only by us Imams, the divine scholars who have a thorough knowledge of the permitted and forbidden things by God.

✓ *Imam Hussain*
✓ *Alaibhi Salam*

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaibhi Salam)



“O’ PEOPLE

**do know that this world is
a mortal house!**

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



"I DO NOT

**know companions more loyal
and better than my
companions, neither do I
know a household more
honorable and passionate
than my household. May the
Almighty rewards you for
the favors you have done
me.**

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“THE ALMIGHTY

God elevates His worshippers
for their patience in
enduring difficulties

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“KNOW THAT

Surely the world's sweetness and bitterness are all (nothing but) dreams. Awareness is solely in the hereafter. The winner is the one who wins the other world and the wretched is the one who becomes wretched in it (the hereafter).

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑ (Alaihi Salam) ۞



“PRAISE GOD

who created the world and made it a mortal, unstable and uncertain house the residents of which keep changing and undergoing ups and downs. Wretched and miserable are those who are deceived by the fleeting and transient pleasures and attractions of this world.

IMAM HUSSAIN

• (Alaihi Salam) •



“THOSE WHO

seek to win God's favor and satisfaction, no matter if it evokes peoples wrath, God will make them dispense with people. But those who win the contentment of people at the cost of enraging God, the Almighty will make them dependent upon people.

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑAlaihi Salamؑ



“THE BEST

**of wealth is that with which
one protects his fame and
dignity.**

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑ (Alaihi Salam) ّ



“THOSE WHO

worship God sincerely will be rewarded for more than what they had wished and even more than what they deserve.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“SWEARING BY

my own soul, I cannot be
nobody except the one
who rules according to
Quran, rises for justice,
affiliates to the true religion
and contains himself to
all that for the sake of God.

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑ (Alaihi Salam) ۞



“ASSOCIATION WITH

wicked people is evil, and
association with corrupt
people brings doubts to
oneself

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



"SOMETIMES GOD

Almighty showers a man with grace and favor, instead depriving him of the blessing of being grateful, this is how God tests his mortals.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“AVOID DOING

what you might later be asked to apologize for it! Because the believer does not harm and does not ask for an apology while the hypocrites always hurt and apologize

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“WHEN A POOR
man begs for your help, his
pride is hurt. Then you
don't deal another blow to
his pride by letting him
down.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“WHEN YOU ARE
frustrated and do not know a
way out, only flexibility and
moderation towards
difficulties will save you.”

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“FOR A KING,
the worst characteristics are
three: fearing enemies,
oppressing the weak and
being generous.”

—**THE HISTORY OF**

IMAM HUSSAIN

• (Alaihi Salam) •



“AVOID

embarking on a task that is
beyond your tolerance.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“DO NOT

assume responsibility for a task unless you are sure you can handle it competently.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“IF YOU GATHER

wealth but do not use it, you are not the owner of your wealth; rather, you are owned by it. So benefit from your possessions and do not let them benefit from you.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“WHOEVER ACCEPTS

your grant, has helped you
with your generosity.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



4 DO NOT ARGUE

with two types of people: the patient and the stupid; the former will beat you and the latter will bother you.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



"IN YOUR FRIEND'S

absence, speak of him the way
that you like him to speak of
you in your absence

IMAM HUSSAIN

Alain Salom



“DO NOT TRY

to find fault with others instead
when someone makes a small
blunder try to cover up for him
and justify his mistake

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“ENDURE

difficulties when you walk on
a divine path and resist the
temptation of worldly
pleasures.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“NOTHING IS

more disgraceful for old people
than being slaves to their
worldly desires.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“WHAT IS POVERTY?”
Being covetous and hopeless

IMAM HUSSAIN
«Alaihi Salam»



“THERE ARE

seventy advantages to the greeting. Sixty-nine is given to the one who greets first and one is given to the one who responds to the greeting.

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“THE TRUE

**stingy is that who refrains from
greeting.**

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaihi Salam»



“HE WHO

tries to achieve something by
acting disobedience to Allah
will miss what he expects
and fall into what he fears

IMAM HUSSAIN

ؑAlaihi Salamؑ



“DO NOT TALK

about something which does not concern you, because I fear that you commit a sin and do not talk about what concerns you unless there is an occasion for it. Very often a speaker is criticized for telling the truth (for it was not on the right occasion.)

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“CONTENTMENT
causes the comfort of the body

IMAM HUSSAIN

«Alaih| Salam»



“O’ ALLAH!, YOU KNOW

my revolt against the rule of Banī Umayyah did not stem from any greed for power, or for taking revenge. I stood against the tyrant of my time to reveal the genuine image of your divine religion, and to make social reforms in order to save the oppressed and pave the way for them to act according to your rules. And you people! If you don’t support us and treat us fairly, tyrants and oppressors will dominate you to blow out your divine illumination. Surely God Almighty is our strong supporter, upon whom we rely, from whom we seek help, and towards whom is our return.

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“NEVER SHOW

***off your happiness in front of a
person who is sad.***

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)

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“DO NOT SAY

something which would undermine
your self-worth.

IMAM HUSSAIN

(Alaihi Salam)



“WISDOM WILL
not be gained, unless through
following the right path.

IMAM HUSSAIN
(Alaihi Salam)

"Husain is from me, and I am from Husain."

Tirmidhi (Vol .I, Book 46, Hadith 3775)

"O Allah, I love him, So love him and whoever loves him."

(Sahih Bukhari 2016, Muslim 2421)

" The Messenger of Allah () was delivering a Khutbah to us when Al - Hasan and Al - Husain [peace be upon them] came , wearing red shirts , walking and falling down . So the Messenger of Allah () descended from the Minbar and carried them , and placed them in front of him . Then he said : Allah spoke the Truth : Indeed , your wealth and your children are a trial (64:15) . I looked at these two children walking and falling down , and I could not bear patiently anymore until I interrupted my talk and picked them up ."

Tirmidhi (Vol .I , Book 46 , Hadith 3774)



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